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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
9 AT SEATTLE

10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 NORTHWEST TRUSTEE  
14 SERVICES INC.,

15 Defendant.


CASE NO. C17-1686JLR

ORDER EXTENDING STAY  
AND VACATING TRIAL DATE  
AND RELATED DEADLINES

16 Before the court is the parties' joint status report, in which they request that the  
17 court (1) extend the stay of all proceedings in this matter pending the Superior Court of  
18 King County, Washington approving their settlement agreement, and (2) vacate the trial  
19 date and related deadlines set forth in the court's scheduling order. (Status Rep. (Dkt.  
20 # 49) at 1-2; Sched. Order (Dkt. # 19) at 1-2.) Based on the parties' joint status report,  
21 the court finds good cause to EXTEND THE STAY of these proceedings until the  
22 Superior Court has ruled on the parties' settlement agreement, and to VACATE the trial

1 date and related deadlines set forth in the court's scheduling order. Within 14 days of the  
2 Superior Court's ruling on the settlement agreement, the parties shall file either a  
3 voluntary dismissal of this action if the settlement agreement is approved, or a joint status  
4 report if the settlement agreement is not approved.

5 Dated this 8<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2018.

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8 JAMES L. ROBART  
9 United States District Judge  
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